

REPORT OF 1% MANUAL TALLY

[Elections Code section 15360]

County: Sierra

Election: November 8, 2022 General Election

Manual tally method used: One Part [section 15360(a)(1)]

Two Part [section 15360(a)(2)]

Date and time notice provided (attach copy of the notice):

November 17, 2022

Internet website where additional information about the manual tally is posted, if applicable:

sierracounty.ca.gov/elections

Date and time the manual tally commenced, beginning with the random selection of precincts and batches (must be after the close of the polls on Election Day):

November 22, 2022 at 4:00 pm

Date and time the manual tally finished:

November 22, 2022 @ 6:45 pm

Estimated number of members of the public who observed the process:

0

Total number of ballots counted in this election (official canvass numbers):

Polling place / vote center ballots (including provisionals)	N/A (All VBM County)
Vote-by-mail ballots	

Total number of ballots manually tallied:

Polling place / vote center ballots (including provisionals)	N/A (All VBM County)
Vote-by-mail ballots	

Precincts in the county for this election (attach list describing all precincts with the number of ballots in each, indicating whether ballots are polling place / vote center, vote-by-mail, or provisional):

Total number of precincts in the election	19
Total number of precincts selected for the manual tally	1

Batches of vote-by-mail or provisional ballots (attach list describing each batch with the number of ballots in each, indicating whether ballots are polling place / vote center, vote-by-mail, or provisional):

Total number of batches in the election	N/A
Total number of batches selected for the manual tally	N/A

Method used to choose precincts and batch of ballots to manually tally (include description of random selection method):

See attached 1% Manual Tally Overview sheet.

attach additional pages if necessary

Description of any discrepancies noted (include details about each discrepancy and how each was resolved; also include anything unusual observed during the manual tally process or anything that may improve the manual tally process):

N/A

attach additional pages if necessary

This report is submitted pursuant to Elections Code section 15360(f).

Submitted on this date: 12/7/2022 by:

Elections Official Name: Heather Foster Signature: 

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Heather Foster
Registrar of Voters

1 % MANUAL TALLY OVERVIEW

Random Selection of Precincts:

Serial numbered paper slips beginning with number 1 representing every voting precinct are placed into a box for random selection by a public observer, the elections official or a designated staff representative. Additional precincts are selected for other races not included in the initial 1 % random selection. This results in more than 1 % of the precincts being manually tallied for the election.

Manual Tally Summary Sheets are produced for entering the manual hand count during tally process. Staff performs a 1 % manual tally of voted precinct and vote by mail ballots in each precinct and records hand count results for comparison to automated count results for summary and tally reconciliation.

Ballots and Votes Cast (+) (-) differences between automated and manual results are recorded on 1 % Manual Tally Summary Sheets. Ballots and Votes Cast (+) (-) differences are reconciled by determining whether manual or computer count is correct. The tally board manually recounts the number of ballots and votes to re-verify actual number of ballots processed through system for comparison to Semi-Official Canvass Election Summary Report. Valid votes where clear voter intent can be determined are enhanced or duplicated pursuant to Uniform Vote Counting Standards.

A 1 % Manual Tally Recap Summary is prepared indicating automated ballot count and manual tally count differences for completed precincts. A final Summary Recap is provided for review and public distribution at the conclusion of the 1 % Manual Tally operations. A report on the 1 % Manual Tally results identifying discrepancies between automated and manual counts with an explanation of how discrepancies were resolved is submitted to the Secretary of State's Office.

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PUBLIC NOTICE

NOVEMBER 8, 2022, GENERAL ELECTION

1% MANUAL TALLY

Notice is hereby given that pursuant to Elections Code §15360 the Sierra County Elections Department will randomly select the precincts to be tallied and conduct the required 1% manual tally for the November 8, 2022, General Election **Tuesday, November 22, 2022, at 4:00 p.m. in the Board Chambers, Courthouse, Downieville, CA.**

This process is open to members of the public for observation. Observers shall not interfere with the counting of vote-by-mail ballots, including touching or handling of the ballots.

Posted: November 17, 2022

CERTIFICATE OF COUNTY CLERK

**MANUAL TALLY OF ELECTION RESULTS PURSUANT TO SECTION 15360
CALIFORNIA ELECTIONS CODE**

**GENERAL ELECTION
NOVEMBER 8, 2022**

I, HEATHER FOSTER, County Clerk-Recorder of the County of Sierra, State of California, do hereby certify that on November 22, 2022, a one percent manual tally was completed in conjunction with the November 8, 2022, General Election.

I further certify that each vote was manually tallied for each contest and the results were an accurate and true representation of the ballots tabulated during the semi-official canvass on November 8, 2022, using a voting system, as defined in Section 362 of the California Elections Code.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have set my hand and affixed my official seal on the 7th day of December 2022, in accordance with the laws of the State of California.



HEATHER FOSTER
SIERRA COUNTY CLERK-RECORDER